

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Yuji ISHIHARA et al. :  
Serial No. NEW : **Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH**  
Filed December 4, 2003 : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1747

AGENTS FOR IMPROVING EXCRETORY POTENCY  
OF URINARY BLADDER  
(Rule 1.53(b) Divisional of Serial No. 09/787,288,  
Filed March 15, 2001)

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**Prior to calculating the filing fee**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: